

FIELD OFFICE TECHNICAL GUIDE Sec. II  
SOILS LEGENDS

Prime Farmland

(Only the soils considered prime farmland are listed. Urban or built-up areas of the soils listed are not considered prime farmland. If a soil is prime farmland only under certain conditions, the conditions are specified in parentheses after the soil name.)

Madison County, Iowa

Map symbol	Soil name
Br	Bremer silty clay loam (Prime farmland if drained)
CsB	Clinton silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes
CtB	Clinton silt loam, benches, 2 to 5 percent slopes
Cu	Colo silty clay loam (Prime farmland if drained)
CwB	Colo-ely silty clay loams, 2 to 5 percent slopes (Prime farmland if drained)
ElB	Ely silty clay loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes
Gn	Givin silt loam
Go	Givin silt loam, benches
JuB	Judson silty clay loam, 2 to 6 percent slopes
Ke	Kennebec silt loam
LaB	Ladoga silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes
LaB2	Ladoga silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes, moderately eroded
LbB	Ladoga silt loam, benches, 2 to 5 percent slopes
MbA	Macksburg silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes
MbB	Macksburg silty clay loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes
MgB	Martinsburg silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes
NeA	Nevin silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes
NeB	Nevin silty clay loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes
NM	Nodaway silt loam
NoB	Nodaway-martinsburg silt loams, 2 to 5 percent slopes
OmB	Olmitz loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes
SbA	Sharpsburg silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes
SbB	Sharpsburg silty clay loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes
SbB2	Sharpsburg silty clay loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes, moderately eroded
ScA	Sharpsburg silty clay loam, benches, 0 to 2 percent slopes
ScB	Sharpsburg silty clay loam, benches, 2 to 5 percent slopes
Sp	Sperry silt loam (Prime farmland if drained)
Sr	Spillville loam
VeA	Vesser silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes (Prime farmland if drained)
VeB	Vesser silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes (Prime farmland if drained)
Wa	Wabash silty clay (Prime farmland if drained)
Wb	Wabash silty clay loam (Prime farmland if drained)
Wc	Winterset silty clay loam (Prime farmland if drained)
WoA	Wiota silt loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes
WoB	Wiota silt loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes
ZoA	Zook silty clay loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes (Prime farmland if drained)
ZoB	Zook silty clay loam, 2 to 5 percent slopes (Prime farmland if drained)